



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:	)	Examiner: Cardone, Jason
HUMPLEMAN <i>et al.</i>	)	
	)	Group Art Unit: 2145
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR	)	
UNIVERSALLY ACCESSIBLE	)	
COMMAND AND CONTROL	)	
INFORMATION IN A NETWORK	)	
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Application No.: 09/307,004	)	
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Filed: May 7, 1999	)	
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicant hereby responds to the Office Action of July 22, 2004, in the above-referenced patent application. Please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows.

Accordingly, reexamination, reconsideration and allowance of all the claims are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.